

South Carolina Department of Corrections
Profile of Inmates in Institutional Count
(Including Inmates on Authorized Absence) as of June 30, 2007

| Characteristics | Male Population | | Female Population | | Total Population | |
|--|-----------------|------|-------------------|------|------------------|------|
| TOTAL Inmates Population | 21,795 | | 1,639 | | 23,434 | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Current Age | | | | | | |
| Average Current Age | 34.7 | | 36.0 | | 34.8 | |
| 21 & Under | 1,921 | 9% | 73 | 4% | 1,994 | 9% |
| 22-25 | 3,258 | 15% | 165 | 10% | 3,423 | 15% |
| 26-35 | 7,339 | 34% | 574 | 35% | 7,913 | 34% |
| 36-55 | 8,373 | 39% | 787 | 48% | 9,160 | 39% |
| 56 and Over | 904 | 4% | 40 | 2% | 944 | 4% |
| Average Age at Admission | 30.6 | | 33.4 | | 30.8 | |
| Race | | | | | | |
| Black | 14,604 | 67% | 768 | 47% | 15,372 | 66% |
| White | 6,791 | 31% | 848 | 52% | 7,639 | 33% |
| Other | 400 | 2% | 23 | 1% | 423 | 2% |
| Marital Status (Self-reported) | | | | | | |
| Single | 13,490 | 62% | 724 | 44% | 14,214 | 61% |
| Married | 6,314 | 29% | 649 | 40% | 6,963 | 30% |
| Divorced | 1,716 | 8% | 198 | 12% | 1,914 | 8% |
| Widowed | 255 | 1% | 65 | 4% | 320 | 1% |
| Sentencing Data/Criminal History | | | | | | |
| Admission Type: | | | | | | |
| New | 16,674 | 77% | 1,341 | 82% | 18,015 | 77% |
| Revocator | 4,658 | 21% | 293 | 18% | 4,951 | 21% |
| Other | 463 | 2% | 5 | 0.3% | 468 | 2% |
| With Current Violent Offense | 11,663 | 54% | 511 | 31% | 12,174 | 52% |
| With Prior Criminal History | 14,804 | 68% | 891 | 54% | 15,695 | 67% |
| With Prior Commitments | 9,680 | 44% | 488 | 30% | 10,168 | 43% |
| Average Sentence Length in Years ¹ | 11.6 | | 7.2 | | 11.3 | |
| Average Time to Serve before Maxout ² | 5.3 | | 3.2 | | 5.2 | |
| Sentences One Year or Less (excl. YOA) | 724 | 3% | 161 | 10% | 885 | 4% |
| Sentences More than 20 years (excl. lifers) | 2,810 | 13% | 102 | 6% | 2,912 | 12% |
| With Life Sentence | 1,923 | 9% | 81 | 5% | 2,004 | 9% |
| With YOA Sentence | 1,338 | 6% | 33 | 2% | 1,371 | 6% |
| On Death Row | 58 | 0.3% | 0 | 0% | 58 | 0.2% |
| Non-Parolable | 9,738 | 45% | 483 | 29% | 10,221 | 44% |
| TIS Sentences | 9,272 | 43% | 477 | 29% | 9,749 | 42% |
| Special Needs | | | | | | |
| With Children ³ | 13,471 | 62% | 1,285 | 78% | 14,756 | 63% |
| With Convicted Disciplinary in Last 12 Months | 6,983 | 32% | 278 | 17% | 7,261 | 31% |
| With Victim Witness Indicator | 10,581 | 49% | 601 | 37% | 11,182 | 48% |
| Sex Registry | 3,426 | 16% | 47 | 3% | 3,473 | 15% |
| Required DNA Testing | 21,157 | 97% | 1,498 | 91% | 22,655 | 97% |
| Chemical Dependent per SASSI/TCUDDS ⁴ | 10,254 | 47% | 916 | 56% | 11,170 | 48% |
| Education/Work | | | | | | |
| Beta IQ Score Less Than/Equal to 70 | 2,365 | 11% | 99 | 6% | 2,464 | 11% |
| Average (Latest) Reading Score | 7.2 | | 7.8 | | 8.6 | |
| Reading Score is <12th Grade | 16,251 | 75% | 1,037 | 63% | 17,288 | 74% |
| Reading Score is <9th Grade | 11,546 | 53% | 667 | 41% | 12,213 | 52% |
| Average Education Level at Intake | 10.4 | | 10.8 | | 10.5 | |
| Without HS/GED | 13,021 | 60% | 815 | 50% | 13,836 | 59% |

South Carolina Department of Corrections
Profile of Inmates in Institutional Count
(Including Inmates on Authorized Absence) as of June 30, 2007

| Characteristics | Male Population | | Female Population | | Total Population | |
|---|-----------------|----------|-------------------|----------|------------------|----------|
| TOTAL Inmates Population | 21,795 | | 1,639 | | 23,434 | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Leading Most Serious Offense⁵ | | | | | | |
| | Dang. Drugs | 19% | Dang. Drugs | 19% | Dang. Drugs | 19% |
| | Burglary | 16% | Homicide | 13% | Burglary | 16% |
| | Homicide | 13% | Fraud | 10% | Homicide | 13% |
| | Robbery | 13% | Burglary | 10% | Robbery | 12% |
| | Assault | 9% | Forgery | 8% | Assault | 9% |
| Top Five Committing Counties | | | | | | |
| | Richland | 10% | Greenville | 12% | Richland | 10% |
| | Greenville | 9% | Richland | 9% | Greenville | 10% |
| | Charleston | 8% | Spartanburg | 8% | Charleston | 8% |
| | Spartanburg | 7% | York | 7% | Spartanburg | 7% |
| | York | 6% | Lexington | 6% | York | 6% |
| Medical/Mental Health Classification | | | | | | |
| Medical Classification: | | | | | | |
| No Medical Problem/No Work Restriction | 8,270 | 38% | 230 | 14% | 8,500 | 36% |
| Has Medical Problem/No Work Restriction | 8,192 | 38% | 782 | 48% | 8,974 | 38% |
| Has Medical Problem/Work Restriction | 5,051 | 23% | 580 | 35% | 5,631 | 24% |
| Severe Medical Problem/Work Restriction | 142 | 1% | 1 | 0% | 143 | 1% |
| Not Available/Unknown | 76 | 0.3% | 11 | 0.7% | 87 | 0.4% |
| Mental Health Classification: | | | | | | |
| No Mental Health Problem | 19,744 | 91% | 1,096 | 67% | 20,840 | 89% |
| Mentally Retarded | 16 | 0.1% | 5 | 0.3% | 21 | 0.1% |
| Mentally Ill | 1,886 | 9% | 487 | 30% | 2,373 | 10% |
| Not Available/Unknown | 149 | 0.7% | 51 | 3.1% | 200 | 0.9% |

¹ Excludes Lifers, Death-Row & YOA's

² Include inmates released to Community Supervision under Truth-in-Sentencing, excludes Lifers, Death-Row and YOA's

³ Based on inmate self-reported information at intake

⁴ Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory (SASSI) stopped being used in January 1997. Currently Texas Christian University Drug Dependency Screen (TCUDDS) is used.

⁵ The "most serious offense" is defined as the offense which draws the longest incarcerative sentence.

Note: Percentages may not add up due to rounding.